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In re Patent Application: : Group Art Unit: 21

Serial No.: 09/540,394 : IBM Corporation

Filed: 03/31/2000 : Intellectual Property Law Title: COMMUNICATING BETWEEN : Department IQ0A/040-3

PROGRAMS HAVING DIFFERENT : 1701 North Street MACHINE CONTEXT ORGANIZATIONS : Endicott, NY 13760

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RESPONSE

In response to the office action dated 12/01/2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 1-4, 6-9, 11-14, 16-19, 21-25, 27-30 and 32-40.

Please enter new claims 41-56:

41.(New) A method of compiling to process a call from a calling program to a called program, said method comprising the steps of:

at compile time, comparing a register length of said calling program to a register length of said called program; and

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| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. | | | | | | | |
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